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GALLEON S.A.,
BACARDI-MARTINI U.S.A., INC., and
BACARDI & COMPANY LIMITED,
Petitioners,

-against-

HAVANA CLUB HOLDINGS, S.A. and EMPRESA CUBANA EXPORTADORA DE ALIMENTOS Y PRODUCTOS VARIOS, S.A. D/B/A CUBAEXPORT, Respondents.

Cancellation No. 92024108

RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 10, 2013 ORDER

Petitioners submit this response to the Board's October 10, 2013 order. Civil Action No. 1:04-CV-00519 (the "Civil Action") remains pending in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia. On August 4, 2008, the United States District Court for the District of Columbia entered an order staying further proceedings in the Civil Action pending appeal of the USPTO's August 3, 2006 order canceling Reg. No. 1,031,651 for the mark HAVANA CLUB. A status report pertaining to the Civil Action is due on April 3, 2014. Accordingly, there has been no final resolution of the Civil Action, and this proceeding should remain suspended.

Dated:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 10, 2013 ORDER has been served upon registrant's attorney, Herbert Schwartz, Fish & Neave IP Group, Ropes & Gray LLP, 1211 Avenue of the Americas, New York NY 10036, the address designated by said attorney for that purpose by depositing a true copy thereof with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on November 11, 2013.

Dated:

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